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TO: SA/BGI		
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REMARKS:  Attached is a proposed NIS contribution to the Joint projects exercise.		
FROM:  Chief, ED		
ROOM NO.	BUILDING	EXTENSION

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